

Appln. No.: 10/568,552
Amendment dated February 5, 2009
Reply to Notice of Allowance dated January 30, 2009

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Yasushi Mukai, et al.
Application No. : 10/568,552
Filed : February 17, 2006
Title : CONSUMABLE ELECTRODE TYPE WELDING METHOD

Conf. No. : 4585
Art Unit : 3742
Examiner : Sang Yeop Paik

Customer No. : 52054
Docket No. : NGB-39711

Commission for Patents
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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Notice of Allowance dated January 30, 2009 (Paper No. 20090121). The three-month period for responding to the notice expires on April 30, 2009.

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper and include attached replacement sheets.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.